## NEW THINGS FOR WOMEN

MARVELOUS DEVELOPMENT OF READY-TO-WEAR GOWNS.

Though the Shops Are Full of Fine Goods, the Lively Demand Makes It Unsafe to Procrastinate.

Never before have the designs for dressy gowns been more artistic than they are this scason. Never before have the fascinating ideas been carried out so extensively. The large and increasing demand by the American woman for fine materials, artistically and beautifully made, has made it possible not only for the dressmaker, with her exclusive clientele, to furnish the most correct and smartest creations, but also for the manufacturer of high-class suits and gowns to produce all the late conceptions equal to these that come from the Paris

The possibilities which the shops at home present in this line of handsome readymade garments are bewildering and beauti-Gil. There are gowns, and stunning gowns, too, for the tall, the short, the stout and the slender figures. And the one great advantage of these gowns ready to wear and beautifully designed is that they combine ideas that the average woman never could think of, while at the same time they are of the very latest and smartest styles. There is also an advantage in seeing a

But whatever wardrobe one has, no matter how much richness of material or how much money one has spent on it, one will not look right if the most careful attention is not paid to the important question of line and cut. This is to be a season when all pads or stuffing of any kind is tabooed. The idea will be to have the figure as slim as possible; that is, to the knees, when the flounces and furbelows may be as thick and | tistic combinations for this favorite fab- | Davis, Miss Blanche Kercheval and Miss full and fluffy as one please. The skirts are ric. all long; that is, of course, in the dress gowns, as the walking suits and outing costumes all clear the ground. The long skirts are graceful, but one has to learn how to walk all over again. One cannot pick one's feet up but must slide alonge one foot forward the length of the skirt, which, by the way, is another reason why the drop linings are used. The linings held the skirt out but made it much more difficult to

The cut and line of the bodice should the same material. be observed just as carefully as that of the skirt. Dame Fashion decrees that the shoulders should be long and broad. Drop a narrow line from the chin to the farthest times of maline, although these are more made a tour of the east coast, visiting a from crossing it. The engine will now be end of the long clinging skirt, and behold the supple, slender, graceful figure of 1902! There will be a strong tendency this sum- the folds of the soft fluffiness. Pink and mer to get away from the masculine effects which have raged so. The summer when she goes out to play golf, will wear stead of the roses. The lilles are made lighter shoes and many, many more frills with green and yellow hearts to simulate and flounces than heretofore. She will be closely the genuine flowers. This is a little less athletic and take more pride in being change from the rose effect and is really dainty than in being masculine.

x x x Some new coats appeared in the displays last week, which are astonishingly fetching and beautiful. One of the very smart- (CONCLUDED FROM PAGE 3, PART 2.) est is pictured here. The material is a Scott, whose marriage will take place very finely-woven etamine of the natural April 15. straw color. The coat is cut after the kimona style, which is so graceful and so Meridian street, which they have recently very easy to slip on and off. The garnish | purchased.



Coat for dressy occasions, made of pale tan

of black velvet and lace around the collar | phis, Tenn. yoke add the striking note to its swell simplicity. Besides this coat there are stay in Asheville, N. C., Charleston, S. C., name cards. Those asked to meet Mrs. many others of varied styles and materials and Oliver Springs, Tenn. and in prices ranging from very low to very, very high amounts.

the shops, and many a woman who counts a gown hers because she has tried it on several times and has almost, not quite, decided to take it, finds that her hesitancy has robbed her. Just such an instance occurred the other day, and this woman in particular was highly incensed that "her" gown had been sold without her knowing it. And, by the way, that same creation of laces and chiffon went out of town, which was a shame, for it was a beauty.

But there are plenty just as pretty left. The way that ribbons, chiffon, mousseline and lace are employed in these pattern robes is nothing short of wonderful in both artistic designing and effect. The gown pictured here is one of the examples of what elegant materials and artistic designing can do. It is of silk crepon, with pink roses a la Pompadour scattered over its surface. Down the front is a panel of genuine Irish point lace, and the other lace garnishings are of the same exquisite design. The drop overskirt has two skirts beneath it, one of cream taffeta, which is covered with a flounced drop of pale green and pink chiffon. The blending of the colors is delightful. The handiwork throughout the gown is perfect, as is that on all these high-classed garments. Striking results have been gained by the close and exact detail work with which these gowns are covered. An example of this careful detail work, which means so much in the gown's appearance, is the black lace gown pictured here. The foundation is of all-over black lace of a delicate pattern-the broad taffeta bands are arranged on the lace to form the outline of the bolero on the bodice, and on the yoke and top of the flounce of the skirt. The effect is stunning, as the

Pongee garments, both coats and fancy costumes, are going to find great favor this summer. And they are so pretty. Words cannot express the |soft, cool, elegant appearance pongee gowns present. Their creamy tones combine so beautifully with the shimmer of the white satin and the softer tones of chiffon, ciel blue, the green of the old Nile, the red of the cherry and the pale, delicate pinks all form most ar-

illustration shows.



RECEPTION GOWN OF SILK CREPON, TRIMMED WITH IRISH POINT LACE.

one of the most effective is the plaited- H. O. Winter, Mrs. William Holt, Mr. H. shaped flounce. It is machine plaited, the | O. Winter and Mr. J. M. McLeay. reases in depth, the greater depth of the flounce, as is also the width of the plaits, being generally placed at the back of the Steven Polleck and Mrs. A. M. Crouch. gauze, tulle, mousseline placed on skirts of Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks, Miss Eliz-

A number of the fancy boas are adorned with flowers in self material. The boas are usually of chiffon or mousseline and someperishable. The favorite boas are of black | number of the resorts. and white rose petals scattered through white combinations are pretty, and lavender will do for some costumes. A very recent idea is to introduce Easter lilies inquite pretty and striking.

### CITY'S SOCIAL LIFE

Mr. and Mrs. Stoughton Fletcher will soon remove to their residence, 1526 North Miss Alice Woods, who has been spending

Floyd A. Woods. Mr. Joseph Froliger gave a small commusic and games.

few days at the Denison with her brother,

Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Hereth are in their new home at 1501 North New Jersey street, and have with them Miss Gertrude The marriage of Miss Marie Beeling and Mr. George Heimlich will take place on

Tuesday evening, at the home of the bride, 866 North West street. Mrs. Leon O. Balley will entertain a number of friends at luncheon to-morrow at the University Club, before leaving for her home in New York.

The yearly meeting of the Day Nursery Association will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Frank Wood, 1907 North Delaware street

Mrs. Rebecca C. Tilly announces the engagement of her daughter Elsie Emily and Dr. James Milton Miller, of St. Paul, Minn. The wedding will take place some time in

Miss Churchill, of Rushville, and Miss Gannon, of Greensburg will come Monday to visit Miss Harriet Fitch. Several entertainments have been arranged in their

Miss Mary Josephine Wight is staying with Mrs. William H. Cook and Mrs. Cook and Miss Wight will be at home to their friends the Tuesday afternoons in April Mrs. Frank H. Carter and her sister,

Mrs. J. M. Irwin, of Chicago, will leave Monday for a few weeks' visit to their brother, W. H. Russe, and family, in Mem-Mr. and Mrs. William F. Coughlin, Mrs. James M. Alloways and Miss Florence M.

"First come first served" is the rule in Novelist." Mrs. Lockridge will be assisted which Mrs. Nevin will entertain in May at

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones entertained Among the numerous novelties in flounces | the Highland-place Euchre Club Friday

folds becoming narrower as the flounce de- The Bonaventure Cinch Club was enter-Hardin. The prizes were won by Mrs. C K. Ewing, Mrs. William McHugh, Mrs. tion next Tuesday afternoon. The club's dianapolis, Shelbyville & Southeastern

> has returned from a five weeks' trip to switch engine running up and down a Florida. After completing her Chautauqua | switch for several weeks to keep the track at the Melbourne Chautauqua Miss Smith

abeth Dye, and the alternate is Mrs. Ida

Mrs. William Carey entertained the Morning Star Mission Band, of which her daughter Bessie is a member, yesterday afternoon. Mrs. C. E. Bacon gave an interesting talk about her trip abroad last

summer and Miss Randall recited.

The Maennerchor Ladies' Society has arranged a euchre party for Friday afternoon. Section 6 is in charge, with Miss Elizabeth Kettenbach chairman, assisted by Mrs. A. Fish, Mrs. George Feeny, Mrs. Louis Murr, Miss Matilda Schmid and Miss Alma Hermany.

At the election of the Friday afternoon were elected: President, Mrs. S. E. Perkins; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Henry B. Heywood; executive committee, Mrs. Charles Emery, Mrs. Louis Wolff and Miss Emily Upfold.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Hawkins entertained at dinner last night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Peebles Nevin, jr. The other guests asked with Mr. and Mrs. Nevin were Mr. and Mrs. Bradshaw, Mr. and Mrs. the winter in New York, is spending a Harmon Bradshaw, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Buchanan and Miss Sarah Foster.

afternoon, from 2 to 6, at the home of Mrs. pany at his home Wednesday evening and S. E. Perkins, No. 1011 North Pennsylvania entertained a number of his friends with street, and the hostesses will be the members of the Women's Auxiliary of St Paul's Church. The young women will preside in the dining room. Those who will take part in the programme are Mrs. A. S. Mitchell, Mrs. Amy Jacobs Addams and Mrs. Fleming, pianists; Mrs. Reyfus, Mrs. John G. Edmunds, Mrs. Harry Houghton

and Ralph Swiggett, vocalists. Miss Lois Dyer entertained at luncheon yesterday at the University Club in honor of Miss Woollen, whose marriage to Mr. Dark will take place next Wednesday evening. A big bouquet of pink roses adorned the round table at which the guests were seated and there were pink rose favors for each cover. The name cards were Gibson heads tied with pink ribbon. Besides Miss Woollen those entertained were the members of the bridal party. Later the party

attended the matinee at English's. Miss Jane Kyle was the hostess for a luncheon yesterday, which she gave in honor of Miss Gertrude Schleicher and her bridesmaids. The table decorations consisted of a large basket of pink roses in the center with smaller baskets of roses tied with ribbons at each cover. Small Japanese fans held the guests' names. Those entertained were Mrs. Dodson of Chicago, Miss Christy of Cincinanti, Miss Margaret Kyle, Miss Varna Cleveland, Miss Beatrice Byers and Miss Blanche

Mrs. Robert Peebles Nevin, fr., was the guest of honor at a pink rose luncheon Miss Mary Wilson, Miss Katherine Ayres and Miss Stella Adams. The round table at which the guests were seated was 5, 1902, as limit of time for filing claims. lighted by pink candles with pink shades. Evans have returned from a seven weeks' For the guests were dainty water-color Nevin were Mrs. Edward McKee, Mrs. The Kappa Alpha Beta Alumni Club Maria Foster Buchanan, Miss Agnes Dunwill have guests' day next Saturday with | can, Miss Claire Hawkins, Miss Ethel Mrs. A. L. Lockridge, Augustus L. Mason Falley and Miss Emma Martindale. The will read a paper on "The Later Victorian | hostesses will be members of a house party



BLACK LACE GOWN TRIMMED WITH BANDS OF BLACK TAFFETA.

Nevin will go to Lebanon to-day to visit their relatives for a short time The Chevaller Club will end its season of dances next Friday night at Brenneke's Academy. The club will begin its summer season at Broad Ripple May 28.

Mrs. William L. Tevis, Mrs. Margaret Wingate, Mrs. Charles H. Greenwell and Mrs. J. J. La Follette will be the hostesses for the monthly reception to be given by the Women's Society of the Broadway M. E. Church to-morrow afternoon at the They will be assisted by Mrs. Worth M. Tippy, Mrs. Mary Hammer, Mrs. Charles E. Bates, Mrs. Ross M. Masson, Mrs. John Wingfield, Mrs. T. J. Moll, Mrs. Craft, Mrs. Ira Dunlavy, Mrs. George Walters, Mrs. John Booth, Mrs. Herman Allen and Miss Virginia Worth. The Rev. Mr. Tippy will give a talk on Browning's simpler poems and Mrs. F. J. Pettijohn and Mrs. Herbert Atkinson will assist in the programme.

SUIT AGAINST GAS COMPANY.

Ora Arthur Makes a Demand on Company for Service.

An application was filed in the Superior Court yesterday for a writ of mandate to compel the Consumers' Gas Trust Company to furnish gas to Ora Arthur at 850 Ashland avenue. The petition is filed on relation of the State. It sets out that Arthur has his house fitted for gas, but that the company refused to turn it on when he made application. A suit said to be identical was carried to the Supreme Court and the decision was against the company. Judge McMaster signed the writ.

New Albany's Water Works. A recent lease of the property of the New Albany Water Company to the Indiana Water Company resulted in an order being issued yesterday by Judge John H. Baker, of the United States Court, enjoining the Indiana Water Company from taking possession of the property. The application for a restraining order was made by the Louisville National Banking Company, one of the minority stockholders of the New Albany Water Company. The defendants are the two water companies, the city of New Albany, A. M. Barron, F. B. Sherman, A. C. Hunt, R. A. Brown and F. L. Harris, Messrs, Barron, Sherman, Hunt and Harris are Chicago capitalists who recently purchased a majority of the stock of the New Albany Water Company. They organized the Indiana Water Company and leased the plant of the other company to the Indiana Company at an annual rental of \$19,250. The lease was made over the protest of the minority stockholders of the New Albany company. The application for an injunction will be heard by Judge Baker

Big Four Secures Injunction.

Judge Carter yesterday issued a temporary restraining order to prevent the In-Traction Company from crossing the Big Four Railroad at the intersection of Wal-Miss Ida Virginia Smith, of Morton Place, Ind. The railroad company has kept a removed. The suit is to test the right of County Commissioners to grant rights of way over public roads without assessing damages to adjacent property owners who have titles in fee simple. The hearing was set for April 14.

More Time for Davis.

Richard C. Davis, former cashier of the People's National Bank, at Washington, will not receive his sentence for embezzlement next Tuesday. Judge John H. Baker, of the Federal Court, yesterday granted to him an extension of time so that he might Conversation Club the following officers take part in the prosecution of his suits against Washington gamblers to whom he lost money. Some of these suits have been won by Davis and others are pending in

THE COURT RECORD.

SUPERIOR COURT. Room 1-John L. McMaster, Judge. Henry Thiel vs. Indianapolis Street-rail-Company; damages. Plaintiff dismisses. Judgment against plaintiff for

John Taylor vs. Quinia Taylor; divorce. Finding for defendant on complaint. Finding for defendant on cross-complaint. Judgment against plaintiff for cests. Room 2-W. W. Spencer, Special Judge. Henry M. Mock vs. Charles Boyer et al.;

note. On trial by court. Room 3-Vinson Carter, Judge. George R. Avery vs. Nordyke & Marmon | yesterday: Company; damages. Judgment on verdict against plaintiff for costs. James B. Reed vs. C., C., C. & St. L. Railway Company; damages. Juagment on verdict for \$500 and costs. George W. Combs vs. James R. Henry;

note. Plaintiff dismissed cause as to defendant Harvey M. Lafollette. Judgment against plaintiff for costs as to him Aetna Savings and Lean Association vs. Moses B. Zook et al.; foreclosure. Dismissed and costs paid. CIRCUIT COURT.

Henry Clay Allen, Judge. Beer Brewers' Benevolent Association vs. Mary H. Perkins et al.; foreclosure, etc. Defendants defaulted. Submitted to court.

Finding for plaintiff for the sum of \$749.75 | tion of the reporter for the Sentinel furwithout relief and costs. Decree of foreclosure. Peter Pfisterer appointed receiver to collect rents and care for property. State ex rel. Sylvia Finsburg vs. Harry A. Jacobs; bastardy. Change of venue granted. Cause sent to Hancock county. Rachel Allen vs. City of Indianapolis et | mercial Club, to look after and advance the al.; damages. Dismissed by plaintiff. Judgment against plaintiff for costs. State ex rel. William H. Hart, auditor of need of such an organization, upon this

state, vs. the Cosmopolitan Schools; for re- motion fifteen gentlemen were selected and given at the University Club yesterday by ceiver. Receiver's report of claims ap- invited to confer together looking to the proved. Claims allowed as recommended organization of such a body. The Rev. and others not allowed. Court fixes May W. H. Chambers, in commenting on this Jackson; replevin. Court renders judgment on verdict for defendant against us its influence would have been felt it plaintiff for costs and return of notes, the recent primary, which would have re-Plaintiffs pray appeal to Appellate Court. sulted in having the names of I. D. Blair Granted on filing bond. Dynes Lumber and Coal Company vs. ticket next fall.' We are sure that no declare lien, etc. Submitted to court, Find- his administration was made ing for plaintiff. Decree quieting title.

> Emma W. Buschmann et al. vs. Frederick Steinmeyer et al.; partition. Submitted to court. Finding for plaintiff. Par- pose to criticise the action or conduct of tition ordered. Albert Womack, Charles S. any official or the administration of any Scoffeld and James Johnson appointed commissioners to make partition. Trust Company, receiver, for refunding erroneous taxes. From Board of County advance the interests of the colored people under advisement.

charged and trust closed.

NEW SUITS FILED. Philip P. Efroymson vs. Henry Marks; specific performance and damages, mand, \$3.00). Superior Court, Room 3. Edward Schoen et al. vs. Murtagle O'Connell; account. Superior Court, Room 2. Frank W. Flanner et al. vs. Frederick Falk; account. Superior Court. Room 3. Fred Glass vs. the Capital National Bank et al.; mortgage foreclosure. Superior Court, Room 2. Mary Wier vs. Albert Peterson; foreclosure of lien. Circuit Court.

SUPREME COURT. -Minutes .-19728. The Terre Haute & Indianapolis Railroad Company vs. State of Indiana ex rel. William A. Ketcham, attorney general. Appellee's brief. 19814. Franceska Andrysiak vs. William

Satkoski. Laporte S. C. Appellee's brief.

APPELLATE COURT.

3638. The Light, Heat and Power Company vs. Robert E. Burk et al. Clark C. C. Appellant's dismissal. On motion of appellant appeal dismissed. 346. Gurton A. Efrymson et al. vs. May E. Smith. Marion S. C. Appellant's petition to transfer to Supreme Court.

-New Cases .-4404. George H. Helberg vs. Hammond Buildin, Loan and Savings Association. Lake S. C. Transferred from Supreme Court 4405. Pennsylvania Company vs. Catherine Dickson et al. Morgan C. C. Assignment of errors. In term. Bond.

T. P. A.'s Prizes Won.

The Travelers' Protective Association's and the Commercial Travelers' Club raffle for a diamond and a one-hundred-piece dinner set came off at the clubrooms last night. The committee selected R. C. Adams, secretary of the Indiana Shoe and Rubber Company, to do the drawing. It | The gas is escaping. was decided that the fiftieth numbers



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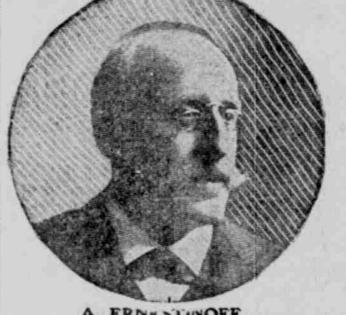
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diamond, and No. 9670 for the dinner set. The winners were not present and the prizes will be held at the clubrooms until

COLORED MEN'S STATEMENT.

Say Meeting Was Not Correctly Re-

ported by a Morning Paper. In connection with the meeting of colored citizens held at Jones's Tabernacle Friday night to adopt resolutions indorsing the Crumpacker bill on the question of the representation of Southern States in Congress the following statement was made

"There appeared in the Sentinel of this morning an account of a mass meeting of colored citizens held Friday evening, which is so inaccurate and misleading that the undersigned feel it our duty to place the facts before the public.

"In the first place, it was plainly and emphatically stated that the meeting was nonpolitical, but had been called for the purpose of indorsing the course of Congressman Crumpacker in his efforts to have the Constitution of the United States enforced. A series of resolutions was submitted and adopted. Remarks were made by several persons present, but no reference was made, either directly or indi rectly, to the city administration nor to Mayor Bookwalter. The fertile imaginanished this item of information. On the motion of E. L. Gilliam, who prefaced his motion by the statement that there was urgent need of an organization of some sort similar to the Civic Alliance and embodying some of the features of the Cominterests of the colored people, and he cited ganization, and had there been such among and C. W. Brown upon the Republican

Commercial Insurance Company et al.; to mention whatever of Mayor Bookwalter of "It was our aim to keep strictly within Judgment against plaintiff for costs. Re- | bounds of the call, which was to consider ceiver's report approved. Receiver dis- the Crumpacker measure, and this idea was adhered to, but we wish it distinctly understood that we in no wise relinquish our right at any meeting called for such purparty having the authority and responsibility of making or executing laws. Our In the matter of the claim of the Marion intention is to take such steps as shall seem wisest and best in our op Commissioners. Submitted to court. Taken of this city, financially, socially, industrially and otherwise, believing that by so doing we shall best subserve the interests of the entire community. The statement and resolutions are signed by Edward L. Gilliam, C. M. C. Willis. Charles W. Brown, Isidor D. Blair, W. A.

Kersey and W. H. Chambers. Negro Murderer Captured.

WAYNESBORO, Ga., April 5 .- Floyd Reese, a negro, to-day shot and killed Anthony Lane, a white man, on Dr. McMaster's plantation. Reese is in jail here.

TO KEEP IT IN. Bell Boy (banging the door)-Hey, there should be the lucky ones. The numbers | Reuben Hayrick-Wal, I guess I know which won the prizes were No. 8862 for the Thet's why I locked ther door.

# NINETY-NINE

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